

Pertinent Reference Information for the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP)

44 CFR Title I: FEMA

http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/cfr/waisidx_03/44cfrv1_03.html

Especially important:

Part 60 Criteria for Land Mgmt Use

Section 60.3 Floodplain Mgmt Criteria for Flood-prone Areas

Technical Bulletins

<http://www.fema.gov/fima/techbul.shtm>

Especially important:

1-93 Openings in Foundation Walls

10-01 Ensuring that Structures Built on Fill In or Near Special Flood Hazard Areas are Reasonably Safe From Flooding

11-01 Crawlspace Construction for Buildings Located in Special Flood Hazard Areas

Flood Insurance Manual

<http://www.fema.gov/nfip/manual.shtm>

Especially important:

General Rules

Rating

Lowest Floor Guide

Mandatory Purchase of Flood Insurance Guidelines

<http://www.fema.gov/nfip/mpurfi.shtm>

Q & A about the NFIP

<http://www.fema.gov/nfip/qanda.shtm>

Especially important:

ALL OF IT

Elevation Certificate

<http://www.fema.gov/nfip/elvinst.shtm>

Especially important:

The instructions(!)

Elevation Certificate Bulletin

<http://www.fema.gov/fima/fpmbul.shtm>

Especially important:

FAQs

A Study Guide and Desk Reference for Local Officials

http://www.floods.org/Certification/FEMA_480.asp

Community Status Book

<http://www.fema.gov/fema/csb.shtm>

State Model Ordinances

Contact your state floodplain coordinator

FEMA listing of publications

<http://www.fema.gov/nfip/addread.shtm>

http://www.fema.gov/fhm/frm_docs.shtm

<http://www.fema.gov/nfip/publicat.shtm>

Especially important:

Forms

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Letters of Map Change (LOMCs)

MT-EZ (Single Residential Lot or Structure)

http://www.fema.gov/fhm/dl_mt-ez.shtm

MT-1 (Conditional & Final Letters of Map Amendment (CLOMAs & LOMAs) and Letters of Map Revision Based on Fill (LOMR-Fs))

http://www.fema.gov/fhm/dl_mt-1.shtm

MT-2 (Conditional Letters of Map Revision (CLOMRs) and Letters of Map Revision (LOMRs))

http://www.fema.gov/fhm/dl_mt-2.shtm

Managing Floodplain Development in Approximate Zone A Areas - A Guide for Obtaining and Developing Base (100 yr) Flood Elevations

<http://www.fema.gov/hazards/floods/lib265.shtm>

Especially important:

Chapter V

Floodplain Management Bulletin 1-98; Use Of Flood Insurance Study (FIS) Data As Available Data

http://www.fema.gov/fima/fis_data.shtm

FEMA approved models

Hydrology

http://www.fema.gov/fhm/en_hydro.shtm

Hydraulics

http://www.fema.gov/fhm/en_hydra.shtm

FEMA Guidelines and Specifications

http://www.fema.gov/fhm/gs_main.shtm

FEMA Procedure Memos

http://www.fema.gov/fhm/gs_memos.shtm

Requesting backup data (for flood studies) from the FEMA library

General page

http://www.fema.gov/fhm/st_order.shtm

Order form

http://www.fema.gov/pdf/fhm/st_fisr.pdf

Payment form for requests

http://www.fema.gov/pdf/fhm/pay_info.pdf

Getting started – general link to lots of stuff

http://www.fema.gov/fhm/frm_docs.shtm

<http://www.floodsmart.gov>

Insurance agents

Premium calculator!!

IMPORTANT NUMBERS TO KNOW

MAP ASSISTANCE CENTER 1-888-FEMA-MAP

LOMCs

Technical data

MAP SERVICE CENTER 1-800-358-9616 or website www.fema.gov

Flood maps

Flood insurance studies

Community status book

NFIP questions

Publications

TELEPHONE RESPONSE CENTER 1-800-CALL-FLOOD

Insurance